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MONTHLY COMPARISONS OF BANK CLEARINGS BY CITIES
(in thousands of dollars)

City	Aug 1987	Aug 1986	%Change	Jul 1987	%Change
Boston	18,787,695	16,657,422	12.79	19,814,479	-5.18
Philadelphia	13,656,472	13,564,538	0.68	14,572,687	-6.29
Buffalo	5,777,340	5,459,236R	5.83	6,227,157	-7.22
Pittsburgh	11,790,611	15,352,373	-23.20	12,259,361	-3.82
Cleveland	9,113,543	8,602,770	5.94	9,949,160	-8.40
Cincinnati	7,298,051	6,529,879	11.76	8,803,385	-17.10
Baltimore	6,931,192	6,172,045	12.30	7,024,416	-1.33
Richmond	4,534,399	4,207,486	7.77	5,006,025	-9.42
Atlanta	18,726,907	19,272,972	-2.83	19,213,653	-2.53
New Orleans	2,785,385	2,910,343	-4.29	3,665,926	-24.02
Memphis	2,961,184	2,734,273	8.30	2,790,152	6.13
Chicago	35,315,935	34,971,849	0.98	38,822,786	-9.03
Detroit	14,748,121	12,726,775	15.88	15,278,211	-3.47
St. Louis	7,156,411	6,444,780	11.04	7,645,518	-6.40
Louisville	3,110,368	3,146,839	-1.16	3,365,034	-7.57
Minneapolis	8,889,408	8,321,647	6.82	9,201,382	-3.39
Kansas City	8,901,373	8,224,428	8.23	9,178,007	-3.01
Omaha	3,263,393	2,637,275	23.74	3,133,041	4.16
Denver	6,341,762	6,514,770	-2.66	6,415,964	-1.16
Dallas	12,841,981	12,886,174	-0.34	12,286,185	4.52
Houston	14,007,638	13,264,954	5.60	14,565,909	-3.83
Los Angeles	37,312,593	42,391,114	-11.98	40,590,486	-8.08
San Francisco	19,842,593	23,455,189	-15.40	21,718,934	-8.64
Portland	4,276,794	4,386,439	-2.50	4,335,768	-1.36
Seattle	8,455,182	8,125,656	4.06	8,874,223	-4.72
Total 25...	286,826,331	288,961,226R	-0.74	304,737,849	-5.88
New York	12,147,439,931	9,075,504,037	33.85	13,101,868,939	-7.28
Total 26...	12,434,266,262	9,364,465,263R	32.78	13,406,606,788	-7.25

(E) - Estimated
(R) - Revised

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SUMMARY OF BANK CLEARINGS--MONTHLY--1983 TO DATE
(Millions of Dollars)

TOTAL 26 UNITED STATES CITIES

Month	1987	1986	1985	1984	1983
January.....	$ 11,271,051	$ 9,187,704	$ 6,790,136	$ 6,128,129	$ 5,545,473
February.....	10,985,805	8,535,125	6,190,702	6,065,219	4,965,235
March.....	11,983,143	9,030,500	6,879,622	7,109,641	6,005,130
April.....	12,652,239	10,425,105	6,861,186	6,127,243	5,148,421
May.....	11,676,460	9,193,254	7,065,234	7,045,745	5,288,785
June.....	13,197,386	9,814,273	6,721,954	6,600,887	6,076,669
July.....	13,406,607	10,417,911	7,987,381	6,691,842	5,330,678
August.....	12,434,266	9,364,465 *	7,632,894	6,819,273	5,941,148
September.....		10,419,913	7,594,199	6,178,627	5,643,896
October.....		10,790,436	8,272,086	6,786,830	5,694,726
November.....		9,574,767	7,550,300	6,392,561	5,374,901
December.....		10,033,266	7,644,831	5,592,988	5,680,312
Total.....	$ 97,606,957	$116,786,719 *	$ 87,190,525	$ 77,538,985	$ 66,695,374

NEW YORK CITY

January.....	$ 10,968,581	$ 8,890,265	$ 6,483,914	$ 5,819,727	$ 5,274,290
February.....	10,717,711	8,271,206	5,934,251	5,783,526	4,726,501
March.....	11,673,312	8,737,767	6,601,050	6,809,751	5,698,257
April.....	12,326,241	10,094,471	6,567,118	5,820,990	4,853,212
May.....	11,386,451	8,901,677	6,776,097	6,719,265	4,978,017
June.....	12,882,704	9,509,821	6,453,281	6,301,033	5,756,052
July.....	13,101,869	10,102,830	7,691,155	6,386,281	5,043,149
August.....	12,147,440	9,075,504	7,356,495	6,521,807	5,626,912
September.....		10,116,294	7,324,655	5,914,247	5,355,350
October.....		10,481,531	7,969,424	6,476,362	5,404,476
November.....		9,305,030	7,283,819	6,122,639	5,088,984
December.....		9,694,080	7,341,762	5,313,843	5,382,025
Total.....	$ 95,204,309	$113,180,476	83,783,021	$ 73,989,670	$ 63,187,225

TOTAL 25 CITIES (EXCLUDING NEW YORK CITY)

January.....	$ 302,470	$ 297,439	$ 306,222	$ 308,402	$ 271,183
February.....	268,093	263,919	256,451	281,693	238,734
March.....	309,831	292,733	278,572	299,890	306,873
April.....	325,998	330,634	294,068	306,253	295,209
May.....	290,009	291,576	289,137	326,480	310,768
June.....	314,682	304,452	268,673	299,854	320,617
July.....	304,738	315,080	296,226	305,561	287,529
August.....	286,826	288,961 *	276,399	297,466	314,236
September.....		303,619	269,544	264,380	288,546
October.....		308,905	302,662	310,468	290,250
November.....		269,737	266,481	269,723	285,917
December.....		339,186	303,069	279,145	298,287
Total.....	$ 2,402,647	$ 3,606,241 *	$ 3,407,504	$ 3,549,315	$ 3,508,149

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CUMULATIVE COMPARISONS OF BANK CLEARINGS BY CITIES
(in thousands of dollars)

City	Year-to-Date Aug 1987	Year-to-Date Aug 1986	Year-to-Date %Change
Boston	157,850,732	142,196,918	11.01
Philadelphia	114,040,612	102,236,271	11.55
Buffalo	45,829,712	43,954,788	4.27
Pittsburgh	107,695,002	125,803,086	-14.39
Cleveland	74,994,816	71,423,189	5.00
Cincinnati	62,511,827	54,543,817	14.61
Baltimore	52,712,334	49,357,355	6.80
Richmond	36,956,059	33,136,461	11.53
Atlanta	152,653,404	153,436,603	-0.51
New Orleans	25,642,077	20,934,680	22.49
Memphis	22,798,711	21,868,828	4.25
Chicago	301,487,644	293,850,234	2.60
Detroit	117,220,465	105,415,053	11.20
St. Louis	59,020,463	52,807,489	11.77
Louisville	26,592,216	24,933,702	6.65
Minneapolis	73,634,247	66,953,328	9.98
Kansas City	72,849,918	64,734,411	12.54
Omaha	22,127,339	21,914,167	0.97
Denver	51,856,988	53,053,043	-2.25
Dallas	102,110,525	111,535,899	-8.45
Houston	113,488,812	114,600,300	-0.97
Los Angeles	326,264,035	354,872,022	-8.06
San Francisco	176,281,150	197,389,789	-10.69
Portland	37,518,517	35,819,178	4.74
Seattle	68,509,970	64,254,107	6.62
Total 25...	2,402,647,575	2,381,024,718	0.91
New York	95,204,309,675	73,583,542,820	29.38
Total 26...	97,606,957,250	75,964,567,538	28.49

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